

STATEMENT OF MRS. HALL
TO
MR. McCARTER & MR. PFEIFFER
OCTOBER 26, 1926

Mills never delivered the brackets on which he was working on September 14th to Mrs. Hall, nor did he ever return to Mrs. Hall the bracket from the design of which he was making the new ones. Mrs. Hall had agreed to pay him \$5.00 for making the brackets.

In August, 1922, while Mr. and Mrs. Hall were in Maine, Jim Mills slept in the Hall house at nights as caretaker. He was paid \$4.00 per week.

In the summer of 1915 Mrs. Hall leased a cottage at Point Pleasant for a month and had about two dozen parishioners of the church there on outings. Mrs. Hall provided service and food, but was not there herself. Mrs. Mills and the two children were there for a time.

On September 15, 1922, in the morning, Mrs. Hall gave Teddy Carpenter a check for \$50.00 to cash for her for sundry household purposes. He did so and T.N.P. has the cancelled voucher. The check was made out to cash and is endorsed by Edwin R. Carpenter.

The coat belonging to Mrs. Hall that was dyed at Bournot's was not the coat which Mrs. Hall had on when she went out at 2.30 A.M. Friday, September 15th. The latter coat was never dyed and was taken by the prosecutors four years ago. They also have the dyed coat.

Mr. Hall had influenza in January, 1922 and was in bed several days.

The first summer that Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Clark were taken on a picnic was three or four years before 1922. The Halls did not then have a car and Mrs. Hall took the two women herself. Mr. Hall did not go along.

Mrs. Hall recalls that she took Jim Mills and Danny Mills to Point Pleasant in July, 1922, when the women's camp there broke up. She stayed there for lunch and when it was time to come back she suggested that Mrs. Mills also ride in the car with her and Jimmy Mills and Danny Mills, because it would be easier to have all of the one family in one car when they got back to New Brunswick. Mrs. Hall thinks that Mrs. Mills sat on the front seat with her coming home. She recalls no conversation with Mr. Hall whatever about the matter.